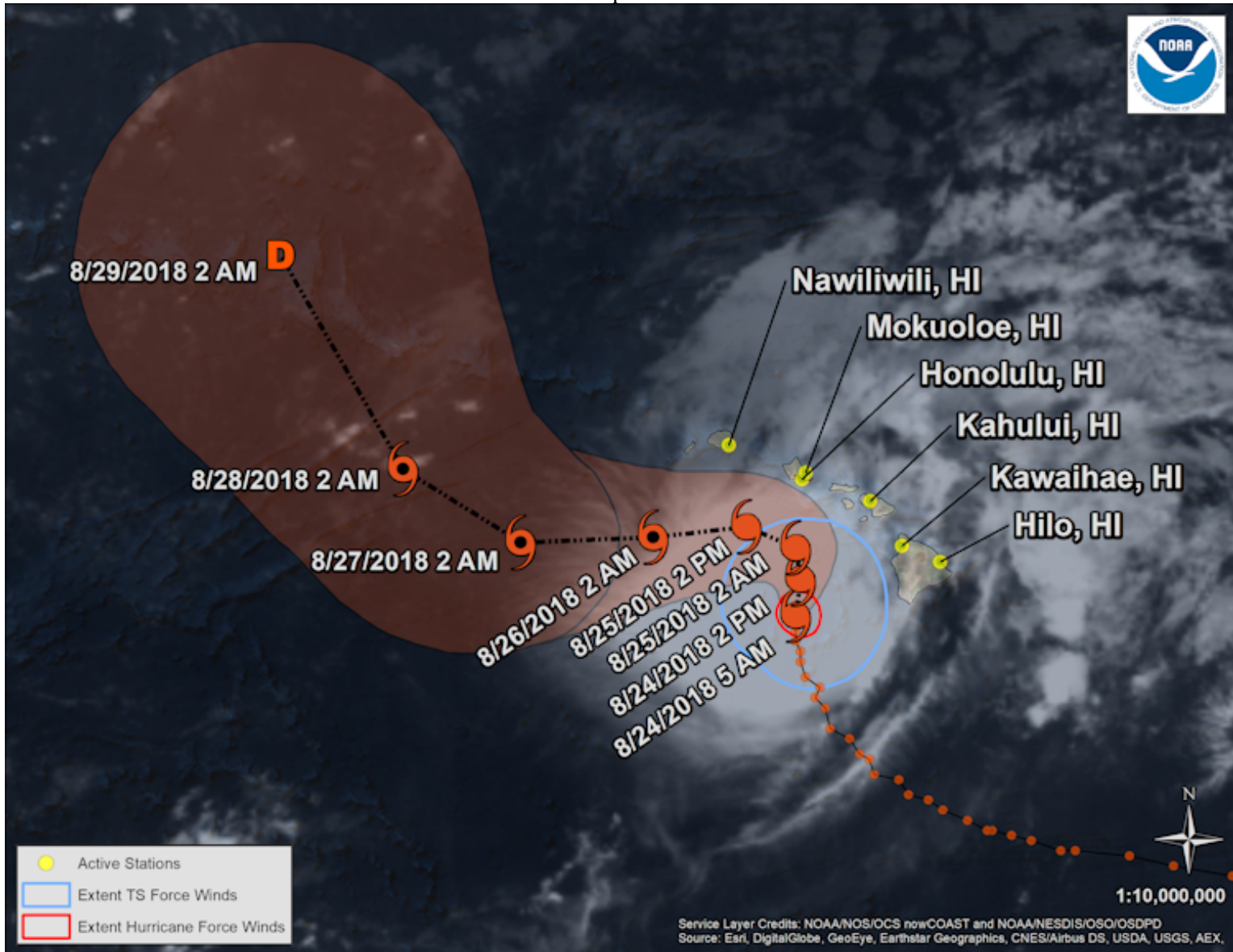




Hurricane Lane QuickLook
Posted: 06:00 HST 08/24/2018

NOAA and NOAA Partnership Stations Relative to the Storm



Storm Analysis

As of 8/24/2018 06:00 HST water levels across the Hawaiian Islands remain elevated above normal tide levels. Water levels from the island of Hawai'i to Oahu range between 0.5 and 1.0 feet above tidal predictions. Water levels on Kauai are measuring 0.3 to 0.4 feet above normal tide levels.

The strongest winds are presently being observed at Kawaihae on the island of Hawai'i with winds of over 25 kts and gusts up to 50 kts measured over the last several hours. Winds of 10 to 20 knots with gusts to 25 knots are being measured elsewhere. Barometric pressure is gradually decreasing across the islands.

Water Level and Meteorological plots available below are updated automatically. A line denoting Mean Higher High Water (MHHW) is displayed to provide an approximate indication of when flooding inundation may occur.

For additional real-time and historical inundation information for select stations affected by this storm, please visit Coastal Inundation Dashboard. For additional data, please see the Center for Operational Oceanographic Products & Services website.

For more information or archived products and reports, please visit the Storm QuickLook Homepage.

Analyst: CRD

Select Central Pacific Hurricane Center Advisory Information:

Hurricane Lane Advisory 40
NWS Central Pacific Hurricane Center Honolulu HI
500 AM HST Fri Aug 24 2018

...DANGEROUS HURRICANE LANE MOVING SLOWLY NORTH TOWARD
THE MAIN HAWAIIAN ISLANDS...
...CATASTROPHIC FLOODING OCCURRING ON THE BIG ISLAND OF
HAWAII...

SUMMARY OF 500 AM HST...INFORMATION

LOCATION...18.7N 158.0W
ABOUT 180 MI... S OF HONOLULU HAWAII
ABOUT 145 MI...WSW OF KAILUA-KONA HAWAII
MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS...110 MPH
PRESENT MOVEMENT...N OR 360 DEGREES AT 5 MPH
MINIMUM CENTRAL PRESSURE...962 MB

WATCHES AND WARNINGS

CHANGES WITH THIS ADVISORY:

None.

SUMMARY OF WATCHES AND WARNINGS IN EFFECT:

A Hurricane Warning is in effect for...

- * Oahu
- * Maui County...including the islands of Maui, Lanai, Molokai and Kahoolawe

A Tropical Storm Warning is in effect for...

* Hawaii County

A Hurricane Watch is in effect for...

* Kauai County...including the islands of Kauai and Niihau

A Hurricane Warning means that hurricane conditions are expected somewhere within the warning area. Preparations to protect life and property should be rushed to completion.

A Tropical Storm Warning means that tropical storm conditions are expected somewhere within the warning area.

A Hurricane Watch means that hurricane conditions are possible within the watch area.

Interests in the Northwestern Hawaiian Islands should monitor the progress of Hurricane Lane.

For storm information specific to your area, please monitor products issued by the National Weather Service office in Honolulu Hawaii.

DISCUSSION AND OUTLOOK

At 500 AM HST, the center of Hurricane Lane was located near latitude 18.7 North, longitude 158.0 West. Lane is moving toward the north near 5 mph, and this general motion is expected to continue through tonight. A turn toward the west is anticipated on Saturday, with an increase in forward speed. On the latest forecast track, the center of Lane will move dangerously close to portions of the central Hawaiian islands later today and tonight.

Maximum sustained winds are near 110 mph with higher gusts. Lane is now category 2 hurricane on the Saffir Simpson Hurricane Wind Scale. Some additional weakening is forecast later today and tonight, but Lane is expected to remain a dangerous hurricane as it approaches the islands. Further weakening is expected on Saturday.

Hurricane-force winds extend outward up to 35 miles from the center and tropical-storm-force winds extend outward up to 140 miles.

The estimated minimum central pressure is 962 mb.

HAZARDS AFFECTING LAND

WIND: Tropical storm conditions are already occurring on the Big Island, Maui County and Oahu. These conditions will likely persist today. Hurricane conditions are expected over some areas of Maui County and Oahu starting tonight. Tropical storm or hurricane conditions are possible on Kauai starting tonight or Saturday.

RAINFALL: Rain bands will continue to overspread the Hawaiian Islands well ahead of Lane. Excessive rainfall associated with this slow moving hurricane will continue to impact the Hawaiian Islands into the weekend, leading to catastrophic and life-threatening flash flooding and landslides. Lane is expected to produce total rain accumulations of 10 to 20 inches, with localized amounts up to 40 inches possible over portions of the Hawaiian Islands. Over 30 inches of rain has already fallen at a couple locations on the windward side of the Big Island.

SURF: Very large swells generated by the slow moving hurricane will severely impact the Hawaiian Islands into this

weekend. These swells will produce life-threatening and damaging surf along exposed shorelines, particularly today through Saturday. In addition, a prolonged period of extreme surf will also likely lead to significant coastal erosion.

STORM SURGE: The combination of a dangerous storm surge and large breaking waves will raise water levels by as much as 2 to 4 feet above normal tide levels along south and west facing shores near the center of Lane. The surge will be accompanied by large and destructive waves.

NEXT ADVISORY

Next intermediate advisory at 800 AM HST.

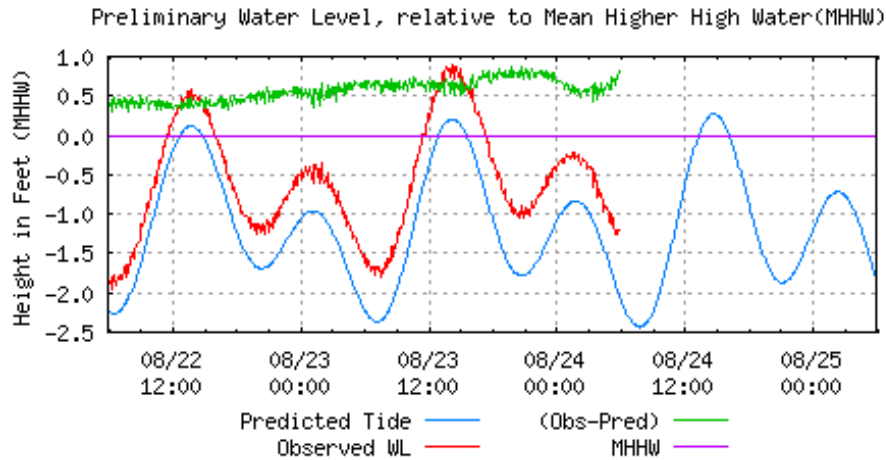
Next complete advisory at 1100 AM HST.

Forecaster Houston

For the purpose of timely release, data contained within this QuickLook have undergone a "limited" NOS Quality Assurance/Control; however, the data have not yet undergone final verification. All data subject to NOS verification.

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NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 1617760 Hilo, Hilo Bay, Kuhio Bay, HI



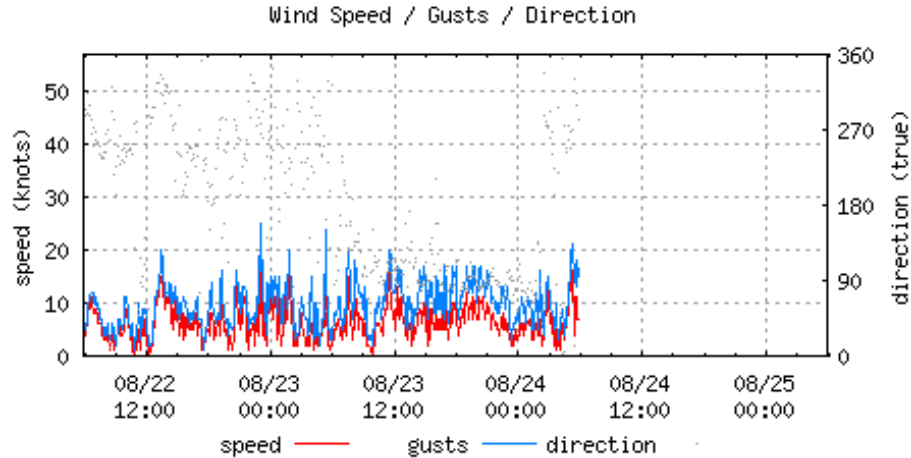
Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:48 (HST). Data relative to MHHW

Observed: -1.21 ft. Predicted: -2.03 ft. Residual: 0.82 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Jul 24 2017, 1.54 ft.

Next High Tide: 08/24/2018 14:40 (HST), 0.27 ft.

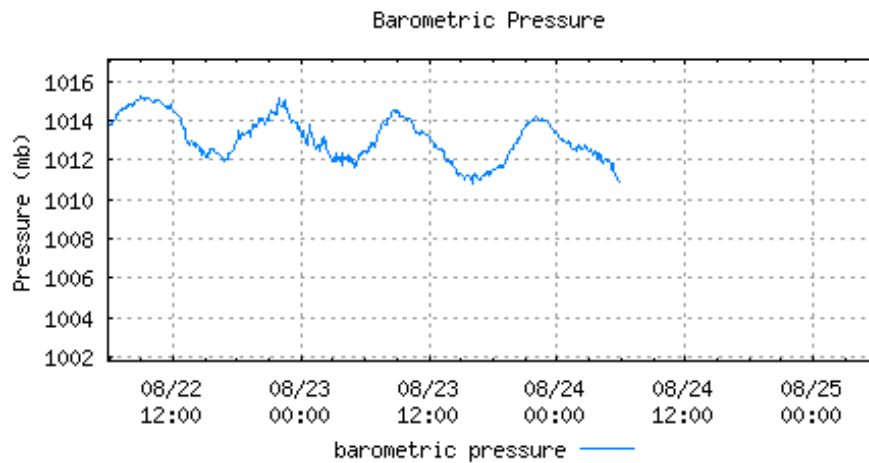
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Wind Speed: 7 knots Gusts: 15 knots Direction: 281° T

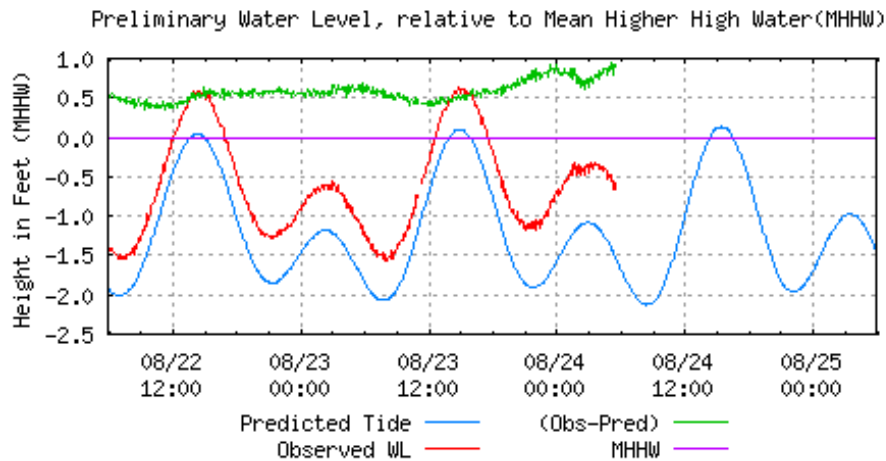
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Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:48 (HST)

Barometric Pressure: 1010.9 mb

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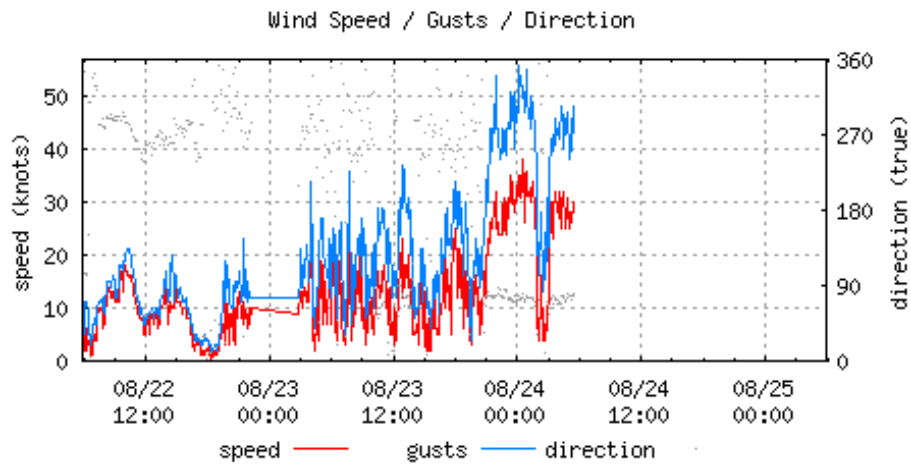
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Observed: -0.65 ft. Predicted: -1.54 ft. Residual: 0.89 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Dec 15 2016, 1.33 ft.

Next High Tide: 08/24/2018 15:24 (HST), 0.14 ft.

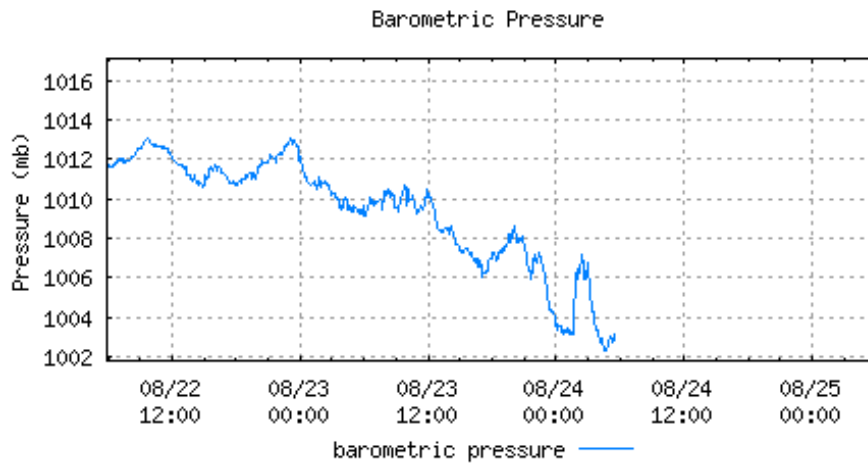
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Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:30 (HST)

Wind Speed: 28 knots Gusts: 43 knots Direction: 81° T

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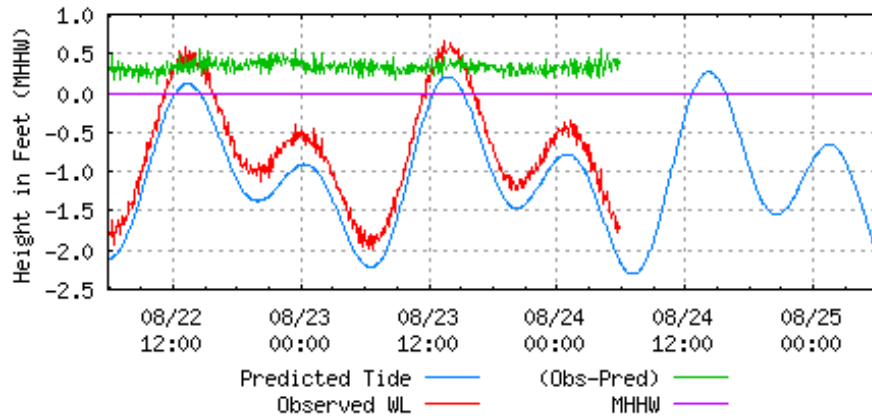


Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:30 (HST)

Barometric Pressure: 1003.1 mb

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 1615680 Kahului, Kahului Harbor, HI

Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW)



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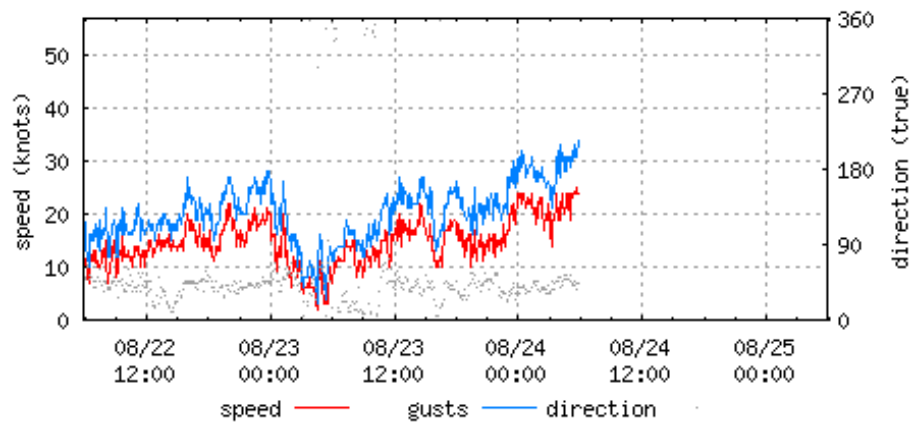
Observed: -1.73 ft. Predicted: -2.12 ft. Residual: 0.39 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 21 2017, 1.33 ft.

Next High Tide: 08/24/2018 14:11 (HST), 0.27 ft.

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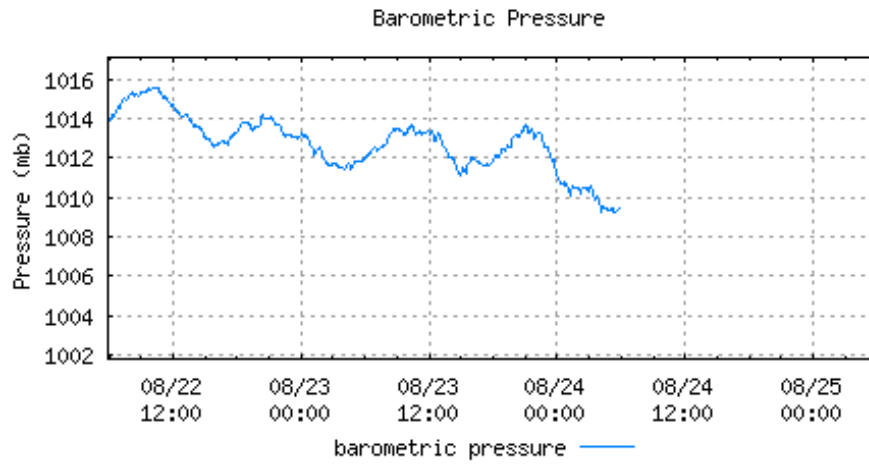
Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction



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Wind Speed: 24 knots Gusts: 34 knots Direction: 43° T

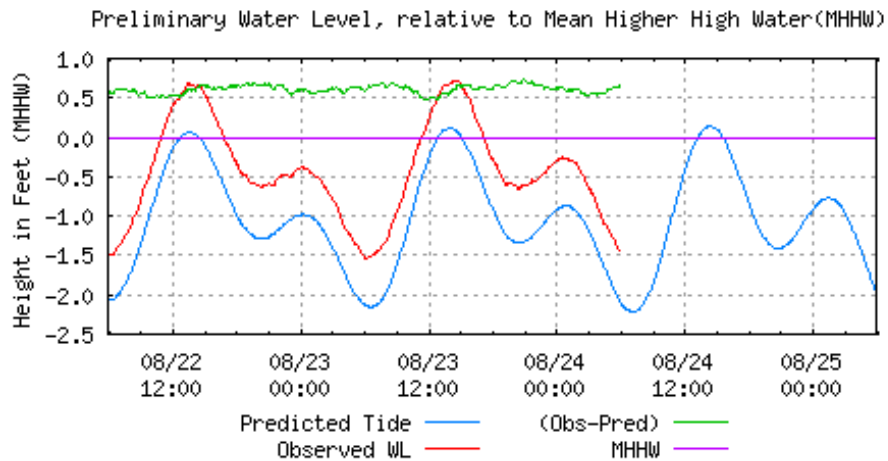
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Barometric Pressure: 1009.4 mb

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 1612480 Mokuoloe, HI



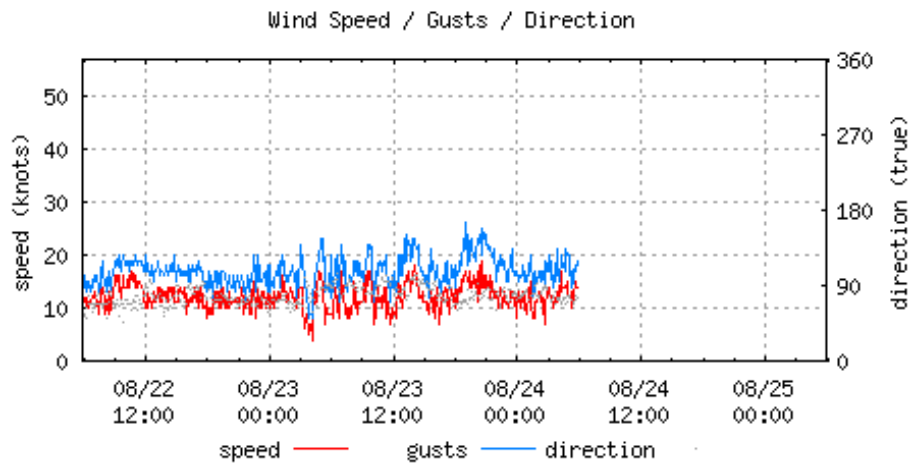
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Observed: -1.43 ft. Predicted: -2.08 ft. Residual: 0.65 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 21 2017, 1.47 ft.

Next High Tide: 08/24/2018 14:20 (HST), 0.14 ft.

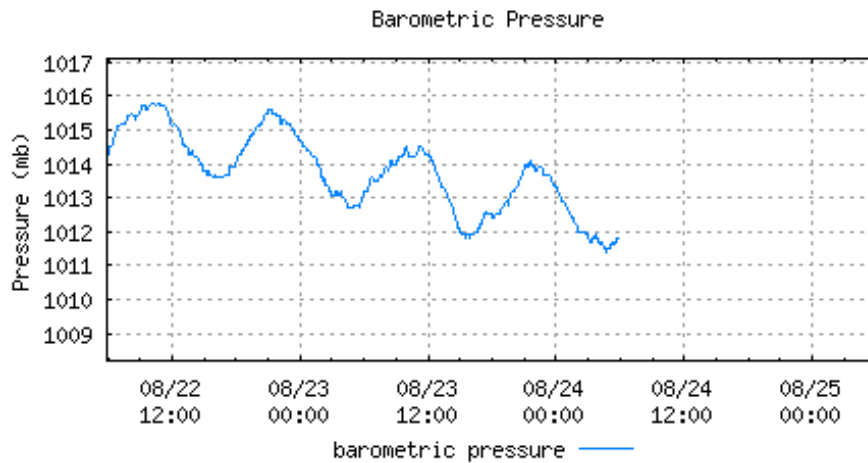
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Wind Speed: 14 knots Gusts: 19 knots Direction: 76° T

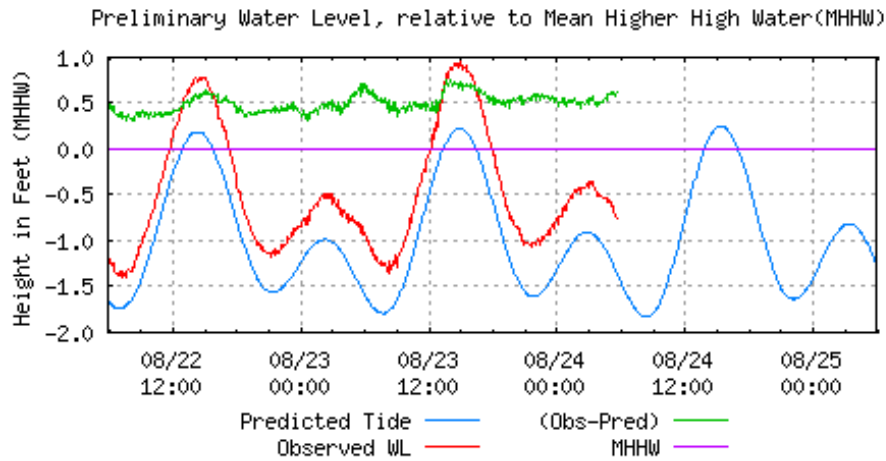
NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 1612480 Mokuoloe, HI



Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:54 (HST)

Barometric Pressure: 1011.8 mb

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 1612340 Honolulu, HI



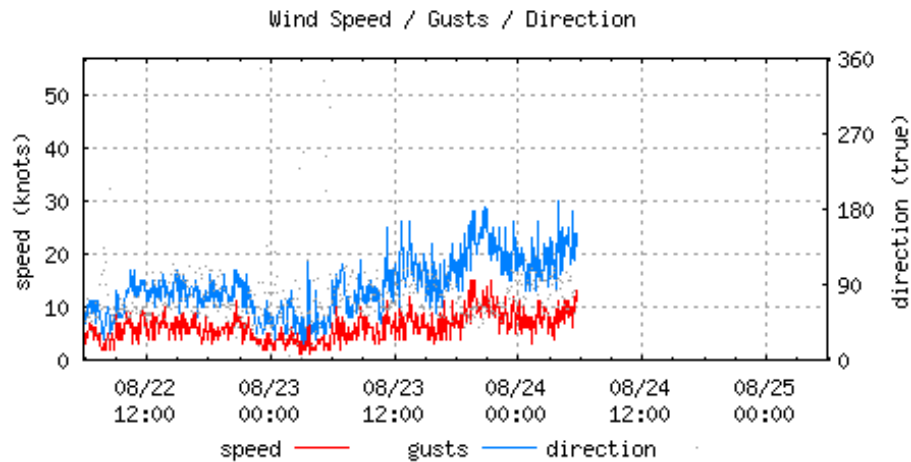
Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:42 (HST). Data relative to MHHW

Observed: -0.76 ft. Predicted: -1.38 ft. Residual: 0.62 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Sep 11 1992, 1.47 ft.

Next High Tide: 08/24/2018 15:22 (HST), 0.25 ft.

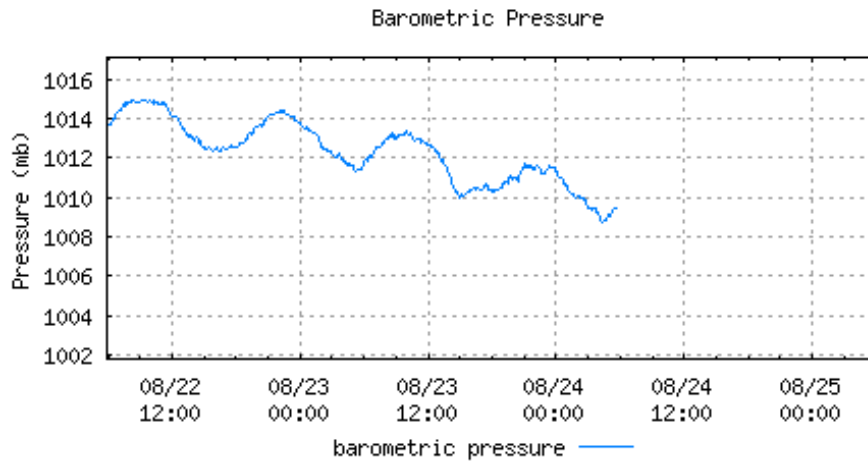
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Wind Speed: 13 knots Gusts: 24 knots Direction: 63° T

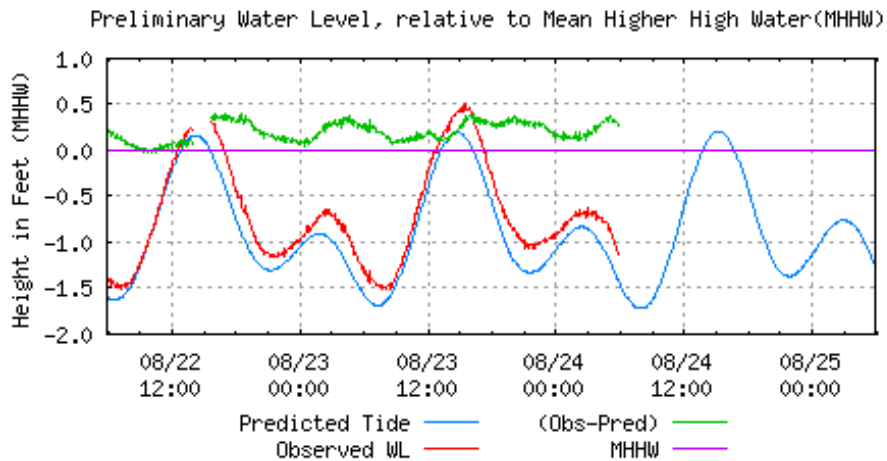
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Barometric Pressure: 1009.5 mb

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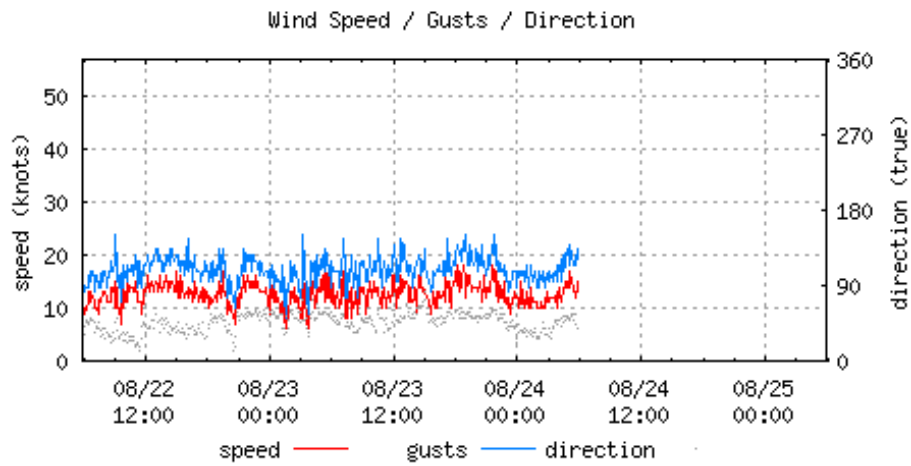
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Observed: -1.14 ft. Predicted: -1.41 ft. Residual: 0.27 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Sep 11 1992, 3.15 ft.

Next High Tide: 08/24/2018 15:13 (HST), 0.20 ft.

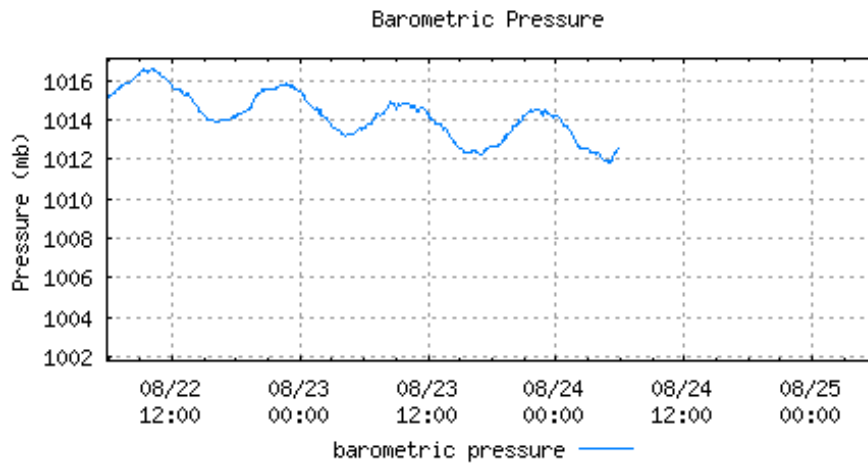
NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 1611400 Nawiliwili, HI



Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:54 (HST)

Wind Speed: 15 knots Gusts: 21 knots Direction: 38° T

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 1611400 Nawiliwili, HI



Last Observed Sample: 08/24/2018 05:54 (HST)

Barometric Pressure: 1012.6 mb

Latest Water Level Observations on MHHW

Station ID	Station Name	Date/Time	Observed Water Level	Predicted Tide	Residual Water Level	24 Hour Maximum Storm Tide
1617760	Hilo, Hilo Bay, Kuhio Bay, HI	08/24/2018 05:48 (HST)	-1.21 ft	-2.03 ft	0.82 ft	0.90 ft
1617433	Kawaihae, HI	08/24/2018 05:30 (HST)	-0.65 ft	-1.54 ft	0.89 ft	0.63 ft
1615680	Kahului, Kahului Harbor, HI	08/24/2018 05:48 (HST)	-1.73 ft	-2.12 ft	0.39 ft	0.66 ft
1612480	Mokuoloe, HI	08/24/2018 05:54 (HST)	-1.43 ft	-2.08 ft	0.65 ft	0.72 ft
1612340	Honolulu, HI	08/24/2018 05:42 (HST)	-0.76 ft	-1.38 ft	0.62 ft	0.96 ft
1611400	Nawiliwili, HI	08/24/2018 05:54 (HST)	-1.14 ft	-1.41 ft	0.27 ft	0.51 ft

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